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REMARKS

The Examiner makes a restriction under 35 U.S.C. §121 contending that there are three separate inventions I, II, and III. Applicant elects without traverse the invention of group I, including claims 15-20 and 27-29. Claims 21-26 have been canceled without prejudice to filing a divisional application to pursue these patentably distinct and non-obvious claims. In addition, new claims 30 and 31, which depend on claim 27, have been added.

The pending claims are now in condition for allowance for the reasons set forth in Applicant's response dated June 14, 2005. An early notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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